Nintendo® NEXT!

ISSUE_54 DEC'12/JAN'13

NINTENDO 3DS.

Brain Age is back with all-new devilishly tricky brain-training exercises designed by world-famous brain researcher Dr. Ryuta Kawashima to refocus the modern mind!

BRAIN AGE™ Concentration Training

NEXT! IN THIS ISSUE

Brain Age™: Concentration Training	1
Featured Nintendo eShop Titles	2-3
Top Ten Titles	1-2
Fire Emblem™ Awakening	3
Release Dates	3
Featured 3rd Party Wii U Titles	4

Retrain Your Brain
In today's modern age, distractions are everywhere. Laptops, smart phones, tablets, and other connected devices allow instant access to unlimited information. However, this may lead to information overload, eroding our ability to stay focused on specific tasks. Brain Age: Concentration Training offers newly designed Devilish Training exercises designed to combat information addiction. By spending at least five minutes a day, these exercises will challenge players with activities to help improve their concentration skills and the ability to access their short term memory.

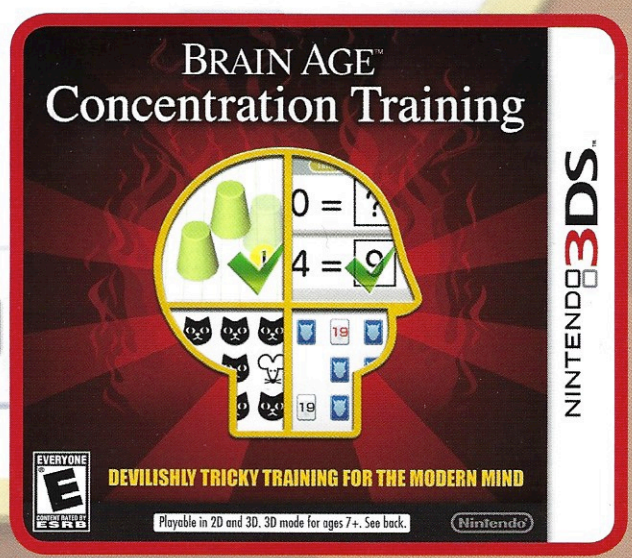
Dynamic Difficulty
The new Devilish Training exercises dynamically increase or decrease in difficulty based on your real-time results, ensuring that you're always striving toward peak mental capacity. It's not about lowering the relative age of your brain anymore—it's about consistently training at the limit of your abilities.

Puzzles with a Purpose
With more content than ever before, Brain Age: Concentration Training has puzzles for every purpose—challenging your concentration and working memory, flexing your mental-math muscles, and even providing relaxation activities to give your brain a break.
*Demo available soon in the Nintendo eShop**

ESRB Rating:
Everyone with Comic Mischief
Game Type: Brain Training
Players: 1

Players will have the option to either purchase the game at retail stores or purchase and download the entire game through the Nintendo eShop.*

LAUNCHES: 02.10.13



NINTENDO 3DS.

TOP TEN TITLES

1. **New Super Mario Bros.™ 2**
2. Paper Mario™: Sticker Star
3. Angry Birds Trilogy
4. Mario Kart™ 7
5. Super Mario 3D Land™
6. Wreck-It Ralph
7. Kingdom Hearts 3D: Dream Drop Distance
8. Skylanders Giants™ Starter Pack
9. Professor Layton and the Miracle Mask™
10. LEGO® Batman 2: DC Super Heroes

*Wireless broadband Internet access required for online features. For more info, go to support.nintendo.com

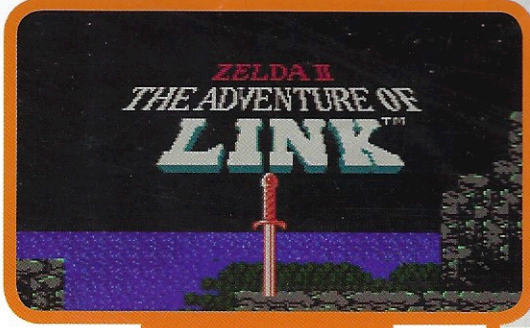
FEATURED Nintendo eShop TITLES

Nintendo eShop

Discover and buy all kinds of content and applications. From innovative games, from independent studios to your favorite franchises to Video On Demand applications.* There's always something new to see at the Nintendo eShop on Nintendo 3DS and Wii U. **.

NINTENDO 3DS

Nintendo



NOW AVAILABLE
ESRB Rating: Everyone with Mild Fantasy Violence
Price: $4.99

Original Release Date: December 1988

Link™ returns to Hyrule to search for the Triforce and to awaken Zelda™ from an endless sleep. Embark on a quest to find the Triforce of Courage and save Hyrule from ruin. Learn magic spells, talk to people in towns to get clues, collect items to increase your power, and explore six palaces where the underlings of the evil Ganon await you. This sequel to the adventure classic uses a side-scrolling visual engine unique to the series for more technical combat, and it features more in-depth world roaming as Link encounters townsfolk while on his quest.

2D images of Nintendo 3DS game

NINTENDO 3DS

Nintendo

NOW AVAILABLE
ESRB Rating: Everyone
Price: $8.99

Welcome to Crashmo! Embrace the laws of gravity and challenge yourself with a whole new kind of action-puzzle play in this exciting sequel to the critically acclaimed Pushmo™ game. New gravity mechanics and gadgets like floating blocks, doors, and move switches await. Push, pull, and slide each puzzle's colorful blocks in order to climb to the top—just be careful where those blocks go. Unsupported blocks will come crashing down! The Crashmo game contains plenty of puzzles to test your skills, and enhanced puzzle-creation and puzzle-sharing features mean that even when all the puzzles are cleared, the fun never has to stop!

2D images of Nintendo 3DS game

TOP TEN TITLES

Wii

1. Just Dance® 4
2. UDraw Studio w/UDraw Tablet
3. Skylanders Giants™ Starter Pack
4. Just Dance® 3
5. LEGO® Batman 2: DC Super Heroes
6. Disney Epic Mickey 2: The Power of Two
7. Just Dance® Disney Party
8. Super Mario Galaxy™
9. Zumba® Fitness Core
10. Skylanders Giants™ Portal Owners Pack

Wii U

1. New Super Mario Bros.™ U
2. ZombiU™
3. Scribblenauts™ Unlimited
4. Call of Duty®: Black Ops II
5. Just Dance® 4
6. Nintendo Land™
7. Disney Epic Mickey 2: The Power of Two
8. Batman: Arkham City™ Armored Edition
9. Sonic & All-Stars Racing Transformed™
10. Skylanders Giants™ Starter Pack

NINTENDO DS

1. Pokémon™ Black Version 2
2. Pokémon™ White Version 2
3. LEGO® Battles Ninjago
4. New Super Mario Bros.™
5. Mario Kart™ DS
6. Monster High Ghoul Spirit
7. Wreck-It Ralph
8. Plants vs Zombies
9. Brave
10. LEGO® Batman 2: DC Super Heroes

*Wireless broadband Internet access required for online features. For more info, go to support.nintendo.com

LEVEL-5

NINTENDO 3DS

LEVEL-5 and Yasumi Matsuno have brought together the industry's most venerated creators in the world of RPGs to take up the challenge and lend their support to the production of CRIMSON SHROUD.

A tribute to the table-top RPG, crucial decisions hinge on the roll of a die. Players roll dice in real time and chain skills together to earn bonus dice of greater and greater face value. Use your dice strategically though, or your foes may yet get the best of you!

Follow the tale of a young "Chaser" named Giauque, as he and his team find themselves drawn into the mystery of the Original Gift, the Crimson Shroud. A bold new adventure awaits!

NOW AVAILABLE
ESRB Rating: Teen with Blood, Violence and Suggestive Themes
Price: $7.99

2D images of Nintendo 3DS game

FIRE EMBLEM Awakening

NINTENDO 3DS

As an inevitable war draws ever closer, you must stand with Chrom and his forces—knights, mages, archers, and more—commanding them against the armies of kingdoms, empires, and the dead themselves.

In the visually stunning world of the Fire Emblem Awakening game, you command and fight alongside an army of spirited heroes standing against an enemy with the power to destroy empires; a dark dragon whose agents include armies of the undead. Plan your attack, customize your forces, and guide your heroes as you forge alliances that strengthen your resolve in battle and shape the course of history. Lead a team of distinct characters with unique abilities, rich backstories, and evolving relationships that guide the path of your quest. Plan your attack carefully – the lives of your soldiers and the future of the world depends on it.

The adventure will even continue with an extensive selection of downloadable content will be available for purchase and will offer opportunities to acquire new maps, new story elements, new playable characters, new classes, and rare items and weapons.

LAUNCH DATE: 02.04.13
ESRB Rating: Teen with Alcohol Reference; Fantasy Violence; Mild Language; Mild Suggestive Themes

Players will have the option to either purchase the game at retail stores or purchase and download the entire game through the Nintendo eShop.*

RELEASE DATES

NINTENDO 3DS

Brain Age™: Concentration Training	02.10.13*
Fire Emblem Awakening	02.04.13
Animal Crossing™: New Leaf	2013
Luigi's Mansion™: Dark Moon	SPRING 2013
Paper Mario™: Sticker Star	NOW AVAILABLE
Freakyforms™ Deluxe: Your Creations Alive!	NOW AVAILABLE
Professor Layton and the Miracle Mask™	NOW AVAILABLE
Style Savvy™: Trendsetters	NOW AVAILABLE

Wii U

Game & Wario™	2013
Pikmin™ 3	Q2 2013
LEGO City: Undercover	Early 2013
Wii Fit™ U	First Part 2013
The Wonderful 101	2013
New Super Mario Bros.™ U	NOW AVAILABLE
Nintendo Land™	NOW AVAILABLE
SiNG PARTY™	NOW AVAILABLE
NINJA GAIDEN 3: Razor's Edge	NOW AVAILABLE

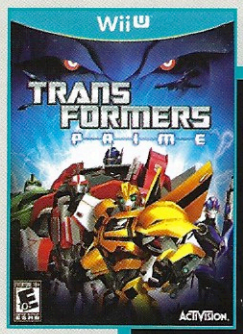
NINTENDO DS

Pokémon™ Black Version 2	NOW AVAILABLE
Pokémon™ White Version 2	NOW AVAILABLE
Pokémon™ Conquest	NOW AVAILABLE
Fossil Fighters™: Champions	NOW AVAILABLE
Professor Layton and the Last Specter™	NOW AVAILABLE
Kirby™ Mass Attack	NOW AVAILABLE

*STREET DATE

For a complete list of Wii, Nintendo DSi & Nintendo DS games, go to nintendo.com

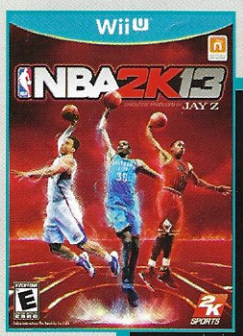
Nintendo NEXT! FEATURED THIRD-PARTY Wii U TITLES



TRANSFORMERS PRIME™ – Activision

ESRB Rating: Everyone 10+ with Fantasy Violence
NOW AVAILABLE

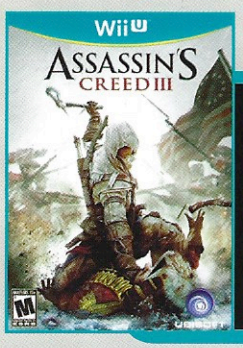
- Interact with TRANSFORMERS characters like never before – Designed for the unique interactivity of Wii U™, the game allows fans to tilt their gamepad to steer BUMBLEBEE through a collapsing canyon, upgrade OPTIMUS PRIME's combat abilities through their Wii U™ GamePad touchscreens, and more.
- Epic TRANSFORMERS Gameplay in HD – The game utilizes the power of Wii U, featuring dazzling visuals in 1080p resolution with authentic character models straight from Polygon Pictures, Inc., the Japanese CG animation studio for the TV show.
- Play as Iconic and Fan-Favorite Characters – Fans will get to play as all their favorite characters from the show including OPTIMUS PRIME, BUMBLEBEE, ARCEE and more to defeat MEGATRON, STARSCREAM, THUNDERWING and the DECEPTICON army.



NBA 2K13 – 2K Sports

ESRB Rating: Everyone
NOW AVAILABLE

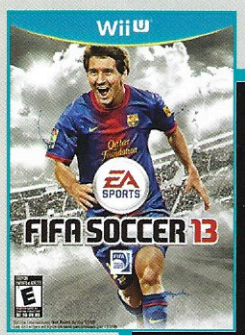
- Gatorade Biometric Scan – Think you have a feel for how your player is performing? Think again. The Gatorade Biometrics display provides an up-to-the-second look at your player's mood and fatigue level in the game.
- MyCAREER Mode – Build your MyPLAYER by giving him signature skills, and acquire your very own custom animations using Virtual Currency (VC).
- NBA 2K "MyTEAM" – Collect players, uniforms, arenas and boosts to put together your own team. Track the talent marketplace that fluctuates based on real-life performance, and then take your team online to play against other players' MyTEAMS in a new tiered matchmaking system.



Assassin's Creed® III – Ubisoft

ESRB Rating: Mature with Blood, Intense Violence, Sexual Themes, Strong Language
NOW AVAILABLE

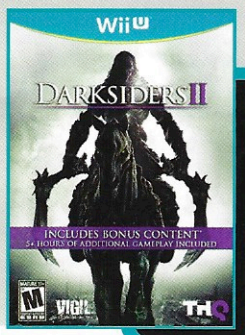
- The acclaimed multiplayer system returns with a host of refinements, including all-new characters, maps and modes to deliver the most compelling online experience yet.
- Always know where your enemies are with a larger, more expansive overhead map at your fingertips!
- Easily change your weapons on the fly to vary your combos without ever stopping the action on-screen.



EA SPORTS FIFA Soccer 13 – EA

ESRB Rating: Everyone
NOW AVAILABLE

- Take the reins as the manager and watch the game unfold, making key strategic real-time decisions using the Wii U™ GamePad.
- See the game from the player's on-field perspective and enjoy creative new ways to take free kicks and penalties. Simply lift and look through the GamePad screen to aim the ball, put the perfect curve on the shot, and let fly.
- Enjoy complete control of shooting — the most rewarding part of the game. Shake the GamePad to activate the shooting zone, touch the screen to pick a spot precisely on goal, and fire away.



Darksiders® II – THQ

ESRB Rating: Mature with Blood and Gore, Suggestive Themes and Violence
NOW AVAILABLE

- Bonus Content for Wii U™ includes Argul's Tomb and the Angel of Death and Shadow of Death packs.
- Side quests, vast open world, endless equipment combinations, Skill Tree customization and leveling system offer compelling reasons to play through Darksiders II again and again.
- Play Darksiders II like never before using the Wii U™ GamePad screen to instantly access inventory and abilities.

Available for purchase in the Nintendo eShop on Wii U

**Wireless broadband Internet access required for online features. For more info, go to support.nintendo.com*

Game trademarks and copyrights are properties of their respective owners. Nintendo properties are trademarks of Nintendo. © 2012 Nintendo.